GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2653
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SETTING UP OF FIRING RANGE IN JHARKHAND
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have abandoned the idea of setting up of a `Firing Range` in Chhattra district of Jharkhand;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government now propose to set up a firing range in Bihar; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES)

(a) & (b): No such proposal has been under Government`s consideration.

(c) & (d): The State Government of Bihar has not allotted land for setting up of a Field Firing Range in the State.